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January 21, 2005

Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni
Chief Clerk/Administrator
South Carolina Public Service Commission
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100
Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Application of Bush River Utilities, Inc. for an approval of New Schedule
of Rates and Charges for Sewage Service provided Residential and
Commercial customers in all areas served.
PSC Docket No.: 2004-259-S

Dear Mr. Terreni:

This letter is in regards to the hearing before the Public Service Commission on January 20, 2005 regarding Bush River Utilities, Inc., Docket No. 2004-259-S. In that hearing, the Commissioners requested an exhibit detailing Ms. Dawn Hipp's calculations supporting Exhibit DMH-3 of her direct testimony relating to a bill frequency analysis. Enclosed, please find Ms. Hipp's late filed exhibit marked as Hearing Exhibit #10. By copy to all parties of record, I am sending them a copy of the exhibit as well.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Benjamin P. Mustian

Enclosures

cc: Charles Cook, Esquire

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Total invoices issued during test year (2)	Total Monthly invoice Amt (3)	Base Charge/Mo. (4)	Calculated Revenues (5)	Reported Revenues (6)	Difference (7)	%
368	\$23,658.52	\$64.29	\$283,902.24	\$266,084.00	\$17,818.24	6.70%

Calculation Methodology:

- (1) A bill frequency analysis provides a comparison between service revenue reported by BRUI and service revenue billed by BRUI.
- (2) Total number of invoices issued during the test year as reported by BRUI.
- (3) Total monthly invoice amount as reported by BRUI on application Exhibit 2 page 4 of 5. Individual customer accounts were verified with deposit records and billing ledger cards
- (4) Average monthly base charge/customer calculated by dividing total monthly billing amount by total bills during the test year.
- (5) Calculated revenues calculated by: (base charge/month X total billings during test year) 12 = Calculated Revenues.
 This number is also provided in the application under Exhibit 2 page 4 of 5.
- (6) Reported revenues by BRUI provided by application under Exhibit 2 page 1.
- (7) Difference between Calculated Revenues and Reported Revenues.

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
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IN RE: Application of BUSH RIVER)
UTILITIES, INC. for Approval of)
New Schedule of Rates and Charges)
For Sewage Service Provided to)
Residential, Commercial and)
Wholesale Customers in all areas)
Served.)

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I, Benjamin P. Mustian, an employee with the Office of Regulatory Staff, have this date served one (1) copy of the "Late Filed Exhibit #10" in the above-referenced matter to the person(s) named below by causing said copy to be sent via facsimile to (803) 771-8010 as well as deposited in the United States Postal Service, first class postage prepaid and affixed thereto, and addressed as shown below:

Charles Cook, Esquire
Elliott & Elliott, P.A.
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Columbia, South Carolina 29205


Benjamin P. Mustian

January 21, 2005
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